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**RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT**

Sir:

This is a response to the Office Action dated June 14, 2010, (hereinafter “the Office Action”), in relation to the above-identified application. This response is timely by virtue of being filed within the one month shortened statutory period set in the Office Action. It is believed that no fees are required in association with the enclosed filing. However, if any fees are determined to be due, the Director is hereby authorized to charge such additional fees to United States Patent Office Deposit Account no. 50-0462.

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